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In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP NEW APPLICATION
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For: SIGNAL TRANSFORMER AND METHOD FOR OPERATING SUCH A SIGNAL TRANSFORMER)	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-captioned patent application, it is requested that this application be amended as set forth herein.

The applicants request the entry of certain amendments to the application. The amendments are incorporated in the formatted substitute specification submitted herewith. A copy of the original application, together with a CompareRite® version showing the amendments in the original specification, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.121 (2001), are also submitted herewith. No new matter has been introduced in these amendments to the original specification.